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For: BANDWIDTH EFFICIENT QUALITY OF SERVICE  
SEPARATION OF AAL2 TRAFFIC

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**SECOND STATUS INQUIRY**

An application was filed on June 1, 2001. A Status Inquiry was filed on November 6, 2006. A Final Office Action was mailed from the USPTO on February 7, 2006. A Notice of Appeal and Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review was filed on June 7, 2006. However, since then applicant has not received any further action from the Patent Office regarding the application. Inquiry is again made as to when an Action will be forthcoming. **Please direct any response to this inquiry to Linda Hull at telephone number (703) 816-4127.**

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